

Tickets on Sale for  
Non-Prom Friday;  
Proceeds to Rink

Senior, Intermediate  
Basketball at Gym;  
Two Games at Dawson

Vol. XXXVI, No. 46

Montreal, Wednesday, December 4, 1946

PRICE TWO CENTS

# JAMES APPOINTS FOOTBALL PROBE COMMITTEE

Pay-Day?



The scene is the Administration building, and that's real money changing hands. The money has nothing to do with D.V.A. cheques or facsimile of same. It's meant to swell the total of the Rink-Auditorium fund. We don't know the names of the donors and recipients, but maybe you can recognize some of them.

## W. T. Hackett Guest At CUS Supper Today

The second supper meeting of the Commerce Undergraduate Society will take place on Wednesday, Dec. 11 at 6:15 p.m. in the Union Grill Room. The guest speaker will be Mr. W. T. G. Hackett, economic advisor to the Bank of Montreal. This is another in a series of meetings under the sponsorship of the Commerce Society which the executive hope will provide their members a means of greater understanding of the business and financial world.

Mr. Hackett will speak on "Some Aspects of Canada's External Financial Relationship", a subject on which he is considered an outstanding authority. His address will attempt to bring the matter more clearly to the members by outlining Canada's policy in an informal talk and then clearing up any specific points through a question and answer period.

Mr. Hackett's name is well known at this University, one of his books "A Background of Banking Theory", being used as a supplementary text for the Department of Economics' course on Money and Banking. Tickets for this meeting will go on sale tomorrow morning in the Union Tuck Shop or executive and class officers.

## Rink-Auditorium Fund Returns Show Gain; Returns Over \$1,000

Returns in the Rink-Auditorium Campaign took a sharp upswing yesterday afternoon. Including proceeds of the Pop Rally and Dance last Thursday evening, the total has now gone well over the thousand dollar mark. Reports from individual canvassers were very good, indicating that general reception is pretty much what was expected. The majority of canvassers' reports show that the McGill undergraduate is responding well within the \$2-5 range and that gifts of \$10 and up are frequent.

Coverage is good, judging by the large number of Red and White Badges of Honour in evidence and the percentage of refusals reported is very small.

Only disappointing feature to date is the fact that less than a quarter of the canvassers have found time to submit interim reports. Chairman Bud Trivett and his Committee are particularly desirous of having a report from every canvasser before tonight's books are closed, even if little more than a start has been made.

An interesting development has been the efforts of many canvassers to interest outsiders in the Campaign. This is a direction in which many canvassers are beginning to look for additions to their individual totals, with their original class lists covered. In this connection,

Eddie Corrigan reports having received a promise from the Slater Shoe Company in the amount of \$100. Other canvassers state that certain deals, now on the fire, will be maturing before the end of the week.

The \$50.00 gift from Alpha Omicron Phi, elsewhere referred to today, has put the question very directly and emphatically to other fraternities on the Campus.

Stating his satisfaction at the results of the first real day, Bud Trivett announced extension of the Campaign beyond the three days originally allocated to the canvass. "Obviously, it takes a day to make a date to meet a contact, the next day to find time to conclude that day's appointments, and probably the next day in which to report them to the Cashiers."

"This is particularly the case if Continued on Page 4.

## DAWSON HAS OWN ARTISTS

DawSigns Decorate  
Campus; Need  
Talent

By BOB USHER

Painting the town red tonight? Don't bother doing it yourself. There is an organization on the campus who can do it for you.

When Dawson College was formed last year, the necessity of an advertising medium between the students' societies and the students was recognized. Thus came the founding of the Dawson Signs group, better known as DawSigns. Randy Phillips, one of the chief artists was elected president — a post which he held during the entire season. In this position he might be regarded as the founder of the group.

This season it was again formed with Paul Ancill, a Three Rivers' boy, at its head. With seven active and artistic members on its staff, the DawSigns have added a touch of color to every notice board on the campus.

Signs and advertisements are made for any and every recognized student society in the college. Much work is also done for individuals and groups not recognized by the University (for a charge, of course). In the way the members find some small compensation for the enormous amount of time and effort they put into the club.

With signs out all over the campus and many more on order, DawSigns report that more artists are needed who can devote a few afternoons or evenings to drawing posters and maybe, officials intimate, to earn the occasional penny for themselves. All those interested in joining may see Paul Ancill or Secretary Carey Stead in Building 27, Room 6.

## Bombs Away!

## 25,000 UniVet Leaflets Bomb City In Publicity Campaign

By LEON LIPSON and MILES BEECH

Dropping 25,000 UniVet leaflets over the City of Montreal in sub-zero weather is no fun. After an hour and a half of "bombing" from an altitude of 3,000 feet, with a special "run" on RVC, we returned to Cartierville Airport, almost frozen to death, hungry, and determined to hit the first person who mentioned "leaflet" again.

To get back to the beginning of the "raid", we arrived at Cartierville at noon yesterday and found a small Stinson aircraft being warmed up for the flight. The first news was bad. Only two of us could go up. The weight of the leaflets left Tom McGlade out in the cold. He did, however, get the satisfaction of going up on the test flip.

Following our take-off, we were so impatient to start dropping leaflets that we were throwing them out before we had finished climbing. Our enthusiasm gradually dwindled. We had been warned not to drop more than 30 per bundle. The slipstream would hurl any larger group with too great a force against the tailplane. (Twenty-five thousand divided by thirty equals one hour and a half of hard labor under adverse working conditions.) The door was open almost continuously and the sub-zero slipstream

swept through the cabin.

It was tolerable up to a point, but after the one hour mark, we were both throwing leaflets out of both sides of the cabin. The fact that nobody was flying the plane soon became apparent. When this occurred, we decided that in the interests of public safety and the strong desire not to become martyrs to the "cause", we should return to our original specialized functions (pilot and handbill delivery man).

Since there was a strong westerly wind, we flew to Westmount where we circled to determine the exact wind speed and direction. We knew it was coming from "over there and strong." Based on these precise calculations, we proceeded to turn in towards the main objective—the heart of Montreal. We reserved the last load for the McGill campus and, especially, RVC. Our mission completed, we set course for Cartierville and the warmth of lower altitudes.

Driving back to Montreal, we began to see evidence of our marksmanship. It was good to see that we had, at least, hit the City. Tonight, 25,000 UniVet leaflets are in the hands of Montreal citizens, on roof-tops, floating down rivers, or, perhaps, still drifting toward distant destinations.

## New Year's Eve Party is Planned

### RINK-AUDITORIUM CAM- PAIGN

Canvassers Totals  
Women ..... \$303.28  
Men ..... \$588.65  
Percentage of Students who have subscribed:

Arts & Science .....	8
Commerce .....	10
Engineering .....	11
Medicine .....	13
Dentistry .....	NIL
Law .....	0.75
Dawson .....	NIL
Others .....	12

## Better Snacks Provided For Junior Prom

The Junior Prom Committee is putting the finishing touches to the arrangements for the annual formal which takes place this Friday at 10 p.m. in the Sir Arthur Currie Gymnasium.

Table reservations are virtually completed with but the odd scattered seat remaining. Upon coming to the dance, ticket holders will find Continued on Page 4.

## Arts, Science Will Sponsor Novel Event

New Year's Eve at McGill this year will see the first New Year's Eve Party in several years held in the McGill Union. At one time a standard event on the campus, it has been revived this year by the Arts and Science Undergraduate Society, which hopes to make this event a permanent feature of its annual social program.

Dick Tremaine, House Manager for the party, announced that the Continued on Page 4.

## Check Room in Union To Counteract Theft

Last night, at a regular meeting of the Union House Committee, the question of persons taking the wrong coat, and of coats being stolen from the Union, cloak room was fully discussed.

The House Committee has decided to investigate the possibilities of having a paid check-room attendant during the rush lunch hours of 12-2 p.m. and will initiate such a program, if feasible, immediately after all complete details have been considered.

## Grads, Undergrads, Faculty Represented; Coach, Terms, Amateurism Head Agenda

## Freshmen Vie Thursday For Bovey Shield

Tomorrow sees the annual competition for the Bovey Shield, which is offered to freshmen in the University for impromptu debating ability.

Lists have been posted at Dawson, in the Union R.V.C. and the Arts Building which those who desire to participate may sign. The topic for the debate will be announced in the McGill Daily tomorrow morning. Speeches may be in either English or French, and on either side of the topic. These speeches are limited to five minutes length.

The eliminations are being held at Dawson and at McGill for the first time in the history of the event. Chairing the meetings will be Isadore Rosenfeld, president of the McGill Debating Union. The McGill elimination will be at 5 p.m. and the Dawson contest at 8 p.m. In charge of arrangements at Dawson is Raymond Cames, president of the Debating Society there. The McGill debate is in the Music Room while at St. John's it takes place in Room 24 of Dawson Hall. Judges for the debate will be announced tomorrow.

The Bovey Shield has been offered for freshmen impromptu debating for the past few years. Recent winners of this shield, donated by Col. Wilfred Bovey, are Gerry Charness, Joan Peterson and James Paterson.

Ann Warren Ryan, President of the Women's Debating Union, today requested the co-ed candidates to sign the registration lists which have been posted in the Union, R.V.C. and the Women's Common Room in the Arts Building.

### DENIAL

According to Johnny Holmes' business manager, the local orchestra leader wishes to state that he has not been approached to play at Thursday's Athletic Festival, story in Tuesday's Daily notwithstanding.

### OFFICIAL ANNOUNCE- MENT

McGill Student Veterans'  
Society

There will be a general meeting of the Society in the Union Ballroom on Thursday, December 5th, at five p.m.

Reports of the various committees will be presented, the delegates to the National Student Veterans' Conference will be elected. There will then be a discussion of the policies to be presented at the conference.

All members of the Society are urged to attend this meeting.

FRANK B. COMMON,  
President, McGill Student  
Veterans' Society.

## Official Statement

It was announced this afternoon by Principal James that a Special Committee comprising three undergraduate members of the football team, three graduates interested in football and three members of the teaching staff has been appointed to consider the whole question of the future development of intercollegiate football at McGill University.

It is expected that the committee will study carefully the various problems that have recently arisen in regard to amateur status and alleged professional participation in the intercollegiate league. It will also make recommendations in regard to the desirability of appointing a full-time coach, the terms and conditions of such an appointment, and the names of candidates whom it considers appropriate for appointment to such a position.

The members of the committee are as follows:

Brigadier J. A. De Lalanne, Mr. St. Clair Holland, Professor B. S. Keirstead, Allan Mann, Dr. N. W. Philpott, Earl Smith, Gus Summerskill, Mr. Eric A. Cushing, Dr. A. S. Lamb, chairman.

## Important NFCUS Meet Scheduled

A meeting of the McGill committee of the National Federation of Canadian University Students will be held at five o'clock this afternoon in the Union. Students will have the opportunity of giving their opinions; decisions vital to individual students will be made at the National Conference of Universities on Dec. 27, 28, 29, and 30 as a result.

The election of a treasurer and of a secretary will be held. The candidates for the vacant positions must be members in good standing of the NFCUS McGill Committee.

The Chairman of NFCUS will report on the meeting held at Toronto over the weekend. The matter of arranging for an agenda for the National Conference was extensively treated and it was considered essential that the matter should be referred to the individual Students University.

The Executive wishes to point out that only students who participate in two general meetings in succession will qualify for membership in good standing with right of vote in NFCUS decisions.

## E. A. Ryan To Address EUS Meeting

Engineers will be afforded their first chance this year to hear reports from the officers of the Engineering Undergraduate Society this afternoon at 4:00 p.m., when there will be a general meeting of the society. The meeting will be held in room 33 of the Engineering Building with President Ritchie Ward in the chair.

The business of the E.U.S. will be conducted and then Mr. E. A. Ryan, President of the Corporation of Professional Engineers of Quebec will address the plumbiers. In addition he will present the Corporation's Bursary to Brian Morrow, a third year student who won it last year.

An important part of the meeting will be the presentation of Certificates of Merit and the Athletic Awards. Reports will be heard from John Knecht, Social Manager; Leo Bilodeau, Chairman of the Action Committee; Ed Gauthier, President of the Engineering Debating Society; and George Schneider, Athletics Manager.

Dean O'Neill has extended his full cooperation to the society by Continued on Page 4.

## Mann, Smith Summerskill Students Reps

By DAVID MARKS

In an official statement released last night, Principal F. Cyril James announced the appointment of a special committee under the chairmanship of Dr. A. S. Lamb made up equally of undergraduates, graduates and members of the University faculty to investigate the whole problem of the future of intercollegiate football at McGill.

**BASIC CHANGES URGED**  
For quite some time there has been considerable dissatisfaction with the existing arrangements for football at this University, and basic changes in the present setup. The recent resignation of Head Coach Doug Kerr, along with his four assistants, brought the problem to a head, and has caused a rash of rumors to spread through Campus athletic circles.

**PLAYERS APPOINTED**  
The great interest shown by the undergraduate in the solution of this problem has resulted in the appointment of three members of the senior football team to the investigating committee. The general feeling is that the choice has been a wise one in the selection of team captain Allan Mann, and of two graduating members of the squad, quarterback Earl Smith and end Gus Summerskill.

Besides discussing the selection of a new coach for the grid team, it is anticipated that the Committee will conduct a thorough investigation into the whole problem of amateurism in the intercollegiate sports world. Up until last season, the University of Western Ontario openly admitted that athletic scholarships were being awarded by them, but rigid academic qualifications were imposed upon the recipients.

However, since the end of last year, the London, Ontario college claims that they have made certain changes in the manner of distribution of these scholarships with still greater emphasis on academic requirements. Despite this, constant charges have been levelled at two of the four participating universities concerning the alleged subsidizing of players and the existence of athletic "slush" funds.

**SCRAMBLE FOR PLAYERS**  
At the start of the past rugby season, there was a scramble for top-notch football players with first one college and then the other claiming that various gridiron performers had enrolled in their institution. The exact status of many of these players, most of whom had played in the semi-professional Big Four League, came in for a good deal of discussion and comment.

Accordingly, during the course of the investigation concerning the appointment of a new coach, the Committee will air the problem from the McGill viewpoint and attempt to reach some definite conclusion. In addition, the question of whether the new coach will be a full time employee of the university or simply part-time as has been the custom in the past will be considered.

**FULL-TIME COACHES**  
Both Western and Queen's had coaches on a full-time basis during the past year while McGill and Varsity did not. A large number of names have been mentioned as possible successors to Kerr, with several members of the Alouettes, former or present high school mentors and past members of McGill teams suggested as likely candidates. The investigation by the Committee will clear, at least temporarily, some of the fog of conjecture which at present shrouds the athletics problem at McGill.

## N.F.C.U.S. NEWS

### INFORMATION, PLEASE

Did you know that one of every six students you rub shoulders with at McGill is from some country other than Canada? That for every three students of British descent one student can trace his origin to other national groups? This lead should not mislead you.

The following questionnaire was prepared by a sub-committee of the NFCUS panel on Cultural Exchange within and between universities. This sub-committee is attempting to establish the degree of integration of ideas made possible between national groups and foreign groups by the campus clubs organized for this purpose.

These questionnaires have been addressed to the executives of the following clubs—  
I.V.C.F., Hillel, S.C.M., Newman Club, I.R.C., Spanish Club, La Societe Francaise, German Club, Chinese Students Association, B.W.I. Society, Sociological Club, L.P.P., C.C.F., Progressive Conservative Club, Liberal Club, Historical Society, Political Science Club, Student Labour Club.

### QUESTIONNAIRE

1. How many members has your club this year? How many has it averaged in the last two years? Give qualifications for membership (according to constitution) general background of members in terms of courses, ethnic and economic origin, and veterans.

and what methods are used to achieve these? (General, study groups, speaker meetings, indicating frequency and average attendance.)

3. What are the times and places of meetings usually?

4. What degree of cooperation would you consider or have established at present with a similar club at another university? Do you consider major benefits might result and if so, explain?

5. What degree of success have you encountered regarding cultural exchange between the members of your club? Between your club and other clubs on this campus? Explain briefly.

6. What recommendation have you for the furthering of cultural exchange on this campus?

Executives will please leave briefs at the Tuck Shop for Bob Nathan, director of sub-committee on local cultural exchange, N.F.C.U.S., by Thursday evening if possible, or Friday noon at the latest. The results received will be correlated and presented in a report for the committee on cultural exchange, at the N.F.C.U.S. conference in Toronto on December 27, 28, 29, and 30th. The pool of information exchanged there will enable these clubs to improve their methods and as a result they will be in a better position to play their important roles in the complete education of the Canadian student.



# McGill Daily

THE OLDEST COLLEGE DAILY IN CANADA

Eastern Regional Headquarters  
Canadian University Press

Published every week-day  
during the college year at  
690 SHERBROOKE ST. W.  
Telephone LANcaster 2244

Authorized as second class mail,  
Post Office Department, Ottawa

Opinions expressed below are those of the  
Managing Board of the McGill Daily  
and not the official opinions of  
the Students' Society.

ALLAN KNIGHT..... Editor-in-Chief  
HERB SHAYNE..... Managing Editor  
THOMAS BUCK..... News Editor  
NORMAN WOLFE..... Sports Editor  
ALTHEA MCCOY..... Features Editor  
G. H. FLETCHER..... Advertising Manager

GLENN LYMBURNER..... C.U.P. Editor  
JOHN CHIPMAN..... Assistant News Editor  
DAVID MARKS..... Assistant Sports Editor

## C.U.P. BUREAU

Bureau Chief..... Betty Brewer  
Night Editor..... Jacob K. Skindin  
Sports..... St. Garber

## DESK EDITORS

News..... Betty Sigler..... Conrad Shatner  
Mary Moxon..... John Piper  
Ethel Rablnech..... Marvin Shiller  
Keith Tishaw..... Lawrence Garmale  
Goldie Wolosky..... Bernice Dufresne  
John Featherstonhaugh..... Gerry Finkelstein

IN CHARGE OF THIS ISSUE

News..... John Featherstonhaugh  
Sports..... Berie Dufresne  
Senior Reporters  
Paul Betts, Dick Joseph, Pearl Anderson  
Cub Reporters  
Nat Goldwater, Melville Smith

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 4, 1946  
Vol. XXXVI, No. 46

## Existence and Resistance

On a campus, as in the outside world that surrounds it, many elements intrude upon the students' consciousness. The business man has realized the importance of getting across the value of his product by a bewildering array of channels; modern man is confronted on the street by massive signs that loom up at him or light his way home in the wee small hours; pamphlets litter his doorway, radios at his fingertips whisper saccharine jingles that penetrate into and scar the listener's subconscious; hoarse voices that examine a man from head to toe; so the poor fellow goes out and buys a bar of soap that he will never need, and furthermore will only want to use once. Nevertheless. And the glories of high-pressure publicity go marching on.

The students at McGill have been aware of mythical symbols that have paraded across Daily pages in sporadic fashion: NFCUS. To the majority of undergraduates these letters still, do not mean a thing. Accustomed to closing their minds in self-protection to all forms of publicity pressure but the most subtle and ingeniously presented, they are little concerned with the purpose, methods and work of this organization. And yet NFCUS at McGill consists of a permanent committee set up by the Students' Executive Council, with its own budget, temporary headquarters in the Book Exchange, and over sixty representatives from various campus associations, working intensely on preparing briefs and reports; these reports are not to be filed away and forgotten.

An up-to-the-minute account of this work will be referred to McGill students this afternoon at five o'clock; it is the intention of the NFCUS executive to check student views on the final work presented by the Committee on December 11th. And why this concern about McGill student opinion? Because this work is preparatory to the four-day Conference of the National Federation of Canadian University Students that will be held in Toronto on December 27, 28, 29 and 30th, and decisions taken there by over sixty University delegates will affect the students' University position for a number of years.

The National Federation after providing some benefits for the University student during the period 1927-1939 suspended its activities for the war emergency; the future of the organization will be on trial at this Conference. The particular geographical nature of Canada and the scattered distribution of its population and therefore University centres posed tremendous problems to the Federation in achieving its aims of "overcoming racial and economic barriers in the interest of greater understanding among students". The Federation, because of its inexperience as regards a National Union of Students such as function in Great Britain, France, the U.S.A., the Commonwealth and Europe generally did not provide for the broad student participation that was essential if the Federation was ever going to function.

Events succeeded rather rapidly and a movement was started in 1937 to constitute a student federation which blossomed out in full raiment as the Canadian Student Assembly. NFCUS reports confirm the good work done by CSA during the next two years, and the National Federation was somewhat bemused by the fact that over a thousand students were involved in this organization.

The theme of this Conference at Christmas is "Make NFCUS Representative". McGill which has, due to the very cooperative attitude of the SEC towards NFCUS, and the interested students involved and a NFCUS organization here. It is expected to take the lead at the Conference. Only student opinion expressed today and on December 12, makes this possible.

(Contributed)

## Mots Cuits

—by Ptolemy

EVIDENTLY the fleeting thoughts which pass through the mind when impatiently awaiting an overdue bus has inspired one M.H. to compose this following elliptical lyric:

Dias empirical  
low pyramidal  
globulous  
slough-seeing  
frogulous  
snow-fleeing  
bitterly spherical.

O wet blacking thyrsus  
ever wand-tipped  
prickly pine-lipped  
dias sodden of cudden curses.

We hesitate to say exactly what is meant — we can only present a hypothesis. Allowing our mind to conjure up a scene of a busy street corner in the teeming metropolis of Montreal, a vague outline of street-cars, people hurrying, newspapers, fried potatoes, automobile horns and post boxes might pass majestically before our eyes. But our poet is absorbed in an empirical dias! And there is contained the first mystery. Further described it becomes a sort of flat pyramid, and suddenly is blobulous! After the shock of this has permeated we realize that the scene shifts to the intersection — a slough of movement, of croaking froglike citizens fleeing from the snow. The imagination whirrs, and the picture now is one of a sour kaleidoscope — perhaps a winter scene in an upturned glass bowl. As a result of this confusion the poet interprets inner thoughts. Now a reaction to the mundane and the ordinary kaleidoscope of life with its hurrying and its thwarted desires — the dias becomes the symbol of frustration... sodden of cudden curses.

We must assume that the errant bus finally arrived.

RECENT activity reported in the daily presses inform the world at large that another major conflict is shaping. With this in mind we are reminded that thus far no really good war poetry has been born of the last one. Where are the Owens, the Brookes, the Sassoons? Is it that our poets have found nothing new to say, or are we to expect a new generation of Kiplings and Tennysons? Soon, it is hoped, they will emerge from the escape, for our most ever-recurrent problem cannot be solved by the glib disregarding.

THAT LIFE IS often taken too seriously might be the theme of the ironic little poem sent in by an A.N.L. entitled Suicide:

Heads I do  
Tails I don't  
And I didn't  
Have a penny to toss.

## Filed but not Forgotten

In the central NFCUS office at Toronto, a stack of forgotten files has gradually accumulated during the last twenty years. Buried deep in the technological verbiage of official reports there lies the whole story of the development of international student organizations.

At one time the vigorous Congress International des Etudiants (C.I.E.) organized international student athletics festivals, and arranged for international scholarships and student exchanges. Many permanent offices were established at Praha and other European centres, to provide social statistics to the League of Nations, and to facilitate student travel by providing such things as identity cards, handbooks, reception facilities and guide services. Through the work of this organization students were able to obtain a reduction of 50 per cent. in train fares for themselves.

The first approach of NFCUS to the C.I.E. was when an observer was sent to the Fifteenth Congress, held at Venice, in August 1933. Unfortunately the nationalist tendencies of the era were already threatening to split this organization wide open. Most members of the Congress were the Gruppi Universitari Fascisti, and their intent is made fully clear in an informal report of the Canadian observer, James Gibson:

"The program of the Congress... had a picture of 'Il Duce' on the front page, then a long dissertation on Fascism and University Youth... Fascist blackshirts of all ages swarmed in and occupied the seats reserved for the delegates;... the President was scarcely given a hearing..."

The Canadian delegates were merely observers and as such the C.I.E. paid little attention to them. This attitude on the part of the C.I.E. caused the Canadian delegation from NFCUS to file a report advising that the NFCUS not affiliate with the C.I.E. A crisis arose in the following year when the Polish government dissolved the Polish Union of Students. The situation was further confused by the appearance of rival groups of students of opposing political beliefs, all clamouring for recognition in their various countries.

The end of the NFCUS file on the C.I.E. came shortly after the following letter from the Canadian observer at the Council of 1938:

"The retiring president is with the Italian Air Force in East Africa; and in any event he had made it clear that he would in no case come to England to preside, as a mark of his disfavor of the English sanctionist attitude... The new president is a hulking Latvian... an obstructionist of the first order... He came to the Council with the votes of the four Baltic states in his pocket; and voted for himself. He got one vote more than his Czech opponent... who immediately resigned."

There, in summarized form, the reason for the failure of the C.I.E. seems apparent. It was the same uncompromising nationalist spirit as that which shattered the contemporary League of Nations.

Now that the war is over, students around the world feel that they can profit from the mistakes of the past, and establish new world organizations to solve the pressing international problems of today. The United Nations are the most important expression of this faith, but there is a definite place for an International Union of Students to handle the increasingly important international student problems.

NFCUS is confident that with the current wave of attempts at international good will a new Union can be established which will draw students of the world together.

## the bizarre experience of the man called Vladimir who was always right.

LEONARD R. ASHLEY

Once upon a time, two days ago to be exact, there was a young man called Vladimir, Vladimir McSweeney.

Vladimir had only two faults.

In early life he began kibitzing at chess.

This was his first fault.

His second fault was that in later life he didn't stop.

Move the bishop! he frequently said.

The king's bishop, to be exact!

His friend gave a snort.

His friend said I wouldn't take his advice if he were the last kibitzer in the world.

His friend moved the king's bishop but, seeing the look on his opponent's face, he quickly put it back and moved the king instead.

His friend saw that he should have moved the king's bishop.

I said above that Vladimir had two faults, but this was not absolutely correct.

He had three.

To be exact.

His third fault as a kibitzer was that he was always right.

This was inexcusable.

After all, his friend said, one can forgive Vladimir for being a kibitzer, but he is always right:

This, his friend said, is inexcusable.

Unforgivable, to be exact.

The next time he says king's bishop, or even knight's pawn... his friend said.

Vladimir McSweeney fooled them all.

Move the rook! he said.

He was about to add king's rook (to be exact) when...

He was found yesterday.

In his left hand was a bishop.

The queen's bishop, to be precise.

In court his friend said He was a kibitzer, Your Honor!

Ah? said His Honor.

He was always right! his friend said.

Ah! said His Honor. Case dismissed! said His Honor.

Nobody loves a fact man.

## LETTER FORUM

The Editor, McGill Daily,  
McGill University.

Dear Sir:

I wish to make this letter brief and to the point.

Monday morning, between 11:00 a.m. and 12:15 p.m., my winter coat, hat, and gloves were taken from the Union cloakroom. It may have been a mistake. In which case I hope the individual will soon realize his error, and return them to the Tuck Shop or the cloakroom.

However, I doubt if anyone can get very far without realizing that he has the wrong coat, hat and gloves!

When I approached one of the authorities concerned I received the ridiculous reply that nothing could be done. True, nothing can be done about my coat, and consequently my latest D.V.A. cheque, which took an awful beating, since the coat was bought only last Saturday, but something can and certainly should be done about any future repetition of this stealing.

In less than a week three people have lost their coats in the same cloakroom. Unless some action is taken immediately how many more students will find themselves faced by the same loss and predicament.

The checking system should be reinstated without any further delay, just as it has been done in the Physics and Chemistry buildings, to the satisfaction of the many students who frequent these buildings.

An efficient checking system in the Union is not an unsurmountable task, and until such time as one is installed many students are going to be victims of this deplorable situation.

Sincerely,

DON O'ROURKE, B.A. II.

Letters to the Editor,  
McGill Daily.

Dear Sir:

In Tuesday's Daily we read an article concerning a basketball game at Dawson on Wednesday of this week. Following the game there will be a dance, the girls being brought in from St. Johns.

Maybe someone can explain this peculiar arrangement of having the St. Johns' girls instead of girls from McGill. There has been a lot of talk about Dawson not having enough to do with McGill, and also that there is not very much social life out there (not enough eligible females). Why, then, don't they take out the McGill girls?

We're sure transportation could be arranged as there would be enough girls to have a special rate.

In "Freshman Reception" week such an event took place and we're sure the majority of girls who went out and also the boys out there, were very pleased with the whole affair. What have the St. Johns' girls that the McGill girls haven't?

A COUPLE OF CO-EDS.

Editor, McGill Daily.

Dear Sir:

I would like to voice my complete disagreement with Miss Howell as regards the rink-auditorium campaign. I really feel that the issue is trivial and should be given no further attention, how-

ever seeing that it is printed in the midst of the campaign, and lest it do some harm to student participation in same, I would like to point out why I believe her argument is unwarranted.

First, I entirely agree with her that the money could be put to better use in building low cost housing, etc. but if we were to canvass the graduates and students for donations towards a veterans' apartment on McTavish Street we would be wasting our energy on a hopeless task for very, very few would give a penny. As it is we are getting donations from graduates who otherwise would probably leave this money idle in some bank. This money is now being used to construct a recreation centre for students and at the same time is furnishing employment for many construction workers that might otherwise be unemployed; and any student of economics will agree that this comparatively small expenditure multiplies itself many times in bolstering the national income.

As regards to student subscription surely we all realize that our \$10,000 will barely furnish the seats and that is really a medium of getting the graduate to contribute by holding up to them the enthusiasm of the undergraduates in sacrificing a good time to help build McGill's War Memorial.

Yours truly,

SAUL H. RUBIN,

B. Com. III.

Tuesday, December 3rd.

Dear Sir:

I have read in this column several letters dealing with the now out of season problem of cheer-leaderettes for McGill. Although I don't feel that this letter of mine will in any way affect the conservative elements that are denying us the right of having girl cheer collectors, as they have ignored all student demands during the last years concerning this matter, still I would like to bring my opinion to somebody's attention.

I was told two weeks before the final Varsity game that the question of cheer-leaderettes for McGill football games would be presented and voted on at the next meeting of the McGill Senate which was supposed to take place in a week's time. What I would like to know, and what I consider every student has a right to know, is what was the result of this question? There are a lot of important things that go on at McGill that 99% of the student body are unaware of but which affect us all. As the Daily is our only means of finding out about some of the behind the scenes action around McGill, I think that all would appreciate it if the Daily could provide us with more information of where we students stand and what we can do to remedy some of the

Continued on Page 4.

CONCERT TICKETS

The University of Montreal is presenting, December 5, the second of its student series of concerts, featuring the renowned Chilean pianist Claudio Arrau.

Tickets at \$1.40 and \$1.75 may be obtained in the Features Office of the Daily.

PLAYERS' CLUB POST-PONE PRODUCTION

"Two Crooks and a Lady", the one act play to be produced by the Players' Club, will be staged on Monday, December 9.

## Music Notes

### OPERA TONIGHT

Exceptional demand for seats for the New York City Opera Company's production of Richard Strauss's Ariadne, has led to the decision to stage a second performance of the Viennese opera at His Majesty's Theatre. It will be given on Thursday, December 5, the day following the Canadian premiere which has been sold out to capacity.

Ariadne, which proved to be the most successful of the twelve operas produced by the New York City Opera Company at the New York City Center during its Fall season, was composed by Strauss between 1912 and 1916.

Montreal will be the only city outside New York to see the opera which will be given here by the entire original cast of the City Center operatic company. The stage director will be Leopold Sachse who produced Ariadne many times for the composer and was responsible for the staging of the Italian premiere.

### LITTLE SYMPHONY

#### CONCERT LAST NIGHT

Last night the Little Symphony of Montreal, under the direction of Bernard Naylor, presented four concertos by contemporary composers of the 18th century. The concert opened with Corelli's Christmas Concerto in G minor, a beautiful piece of music, which was performed accordingly by the Little Symphony's able musicians.

The "piece de resistance" of the evening was Bach's Brandenburg Concerto in G which was written in the year 1721. Now skipping along merrily in delightful staccatos, then moving on in masterful sweeps of the violin bows, it is music typical of that period. Due to the excellent conducting of Mr. Bernard Naylor, the precise performance of Mr. Pierre Josch, who was the outstanding soloist of the evening, the exquisite beauty of the concerto was brought out to its fullest extent.

The other presentations were Vivaldi's concerto in B minor and Handel's concerto No. 18 in B flat, both being definitely allegro in pace. The Bach concerto seemed to be the favourite with the audience, and the concert concluded with three curtain calls for the conductor, Bernard Naylor.

H. P. W.

### BRAILLOWSKI

Alexander Brailowski's Recital, under the sponsorship of the Societe Classique, will be held on December 10, at His Majesty's Theatre. The recital, originally scheduled for November 11, had to be cancelled at the date, because of the artist's illness.

The next artist in the series sponsored by the Societe Classique will be Salvatore Baccaloni, who will be heard on Thursday, February 6, at His Majesty's Theatre. Tickets for Brailowski: a very few are left. They can be obtained at the office of the Societe Classique, 4061 Mettana. For further information phone CH 7190.

Continued on Page 4.

### ARTS AND CRAFTS EXHIBIT CANCELLED

The committee in charge of the Arts and Crafts Exhibit regretfully announces that this year's exhibit has had to be cancelled owing to a lack of entries. We wish to thank those who did bring in articles for exhibition, and are sorry the cancellation is necessary.

## Elegant, Exciting Corsages — Brilliantly Created For your Most Gala Occasions—

"JUNIOR PROM," DEC. 6

The Exclusive

ROSE BOWL

Flower Shoppe

ORDER IN ADVANCE BY TELEPHONE

4665 Hutchison St.

CRescent 2729

A MCGILL STUDENT-VET'S ORGANIZATION

Prompt Delivery Everywhere

## THIS TAKES PRACTICE



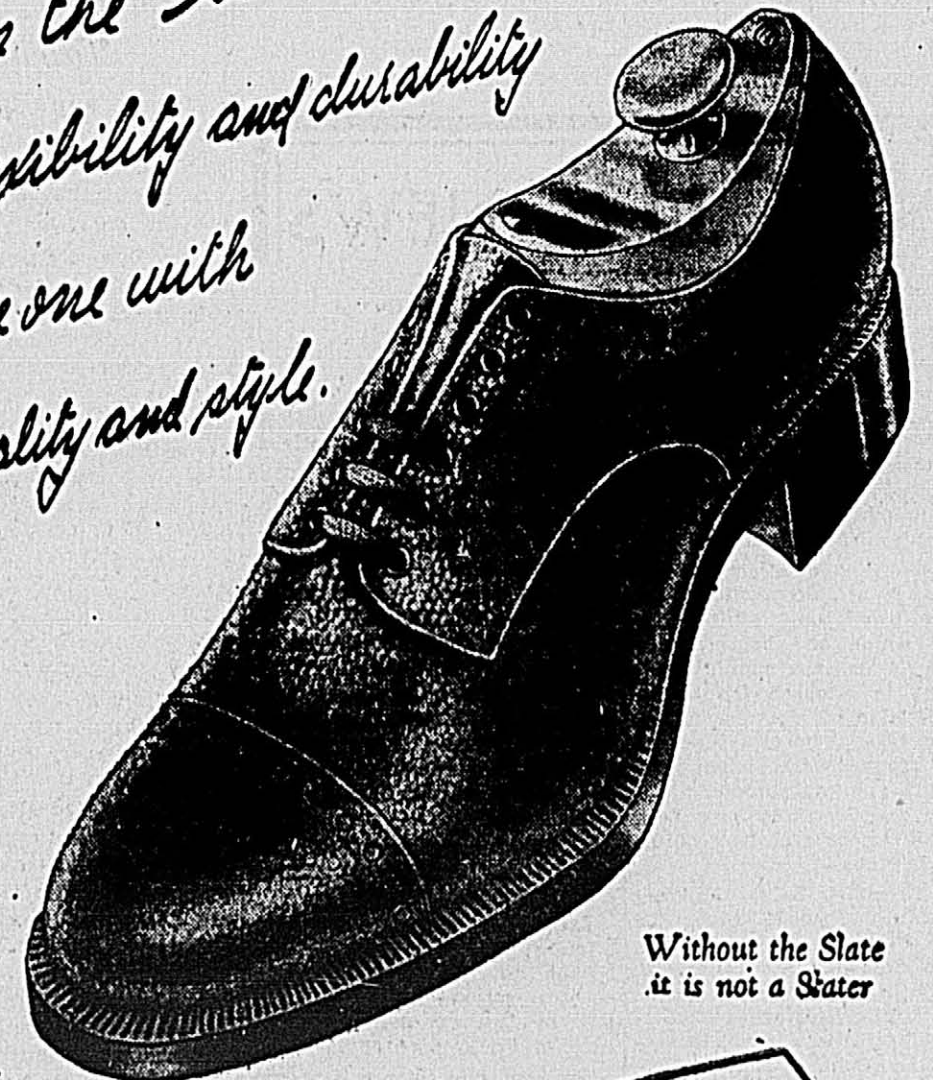
It's also a mistake to think that the saving habit can be acquired without practice. It can't. But it is surprising how intelligent money management can be learned by following two simple rules. One... spend no more, and preferably less than you earn. Two... bank at least something out of every dollar you receive. We welcome your account.

Three branches near McGill

Peel and Sherbrooke — H. H. Troop, Manager  
St. Catherine & McGill College — J. W. MacDonald, Manager  
Sherbrooke & Bleury — P. B. Elwood, Manager

## THE ROYAL BANK OF CANADA

In the Slater Shoe,  
flexibility and durability  
are one with  
quality and style.



Without the Slater  
it is not a Slater

The Slater  
Shoe

SLATER  
FOR MEN AND WOMEN



# Migo Cagers at Dawson; Locals Face Georgians Tonight

## Undefeated Visitors In Tough Contest In St. Johns Tonight

### Stickhandlers In Opener Sat. With Carabins

The Red pucksters bid adieu to the Forum ice sheet, for about the next two weeks as they moved their gear south to the Verdun Auditorium. Bert Newbery's frozen pond becomes unavailable to the Red men because of the wrestling, boxing and figure skating shows which are being presented in that order until the sixteenth of December.

Trainer Harry Grimes had the McGill equipment packed and ready for shipment to Verdun, almost immediately the players were through with it. There, in the rink below the canal, the clan of Campbell will hold their final warm-up session Thursday, in preparation for their game against U. of M. Saturday night.

Continued on Page 4.

#### INTERMEDIATE HOCKEY

A practice will be held for the intermediate hockey team on Friday, December 6, at the Verdun Auditorium from 5 to 6 p.m.

The following members of the team are requested to be on hand at the above mentioned hour:

Beck, O'Toole, Geddes, Franks, Layton, Smyth, Rodden, Malone, Gurnham, Shannon, Hall, Read, Kimberley, Aird, Chalmers, O'Brien, Campbell, Mallory, Vachon, Clouston, McBoile, Ovenden, Hayward.

The fast-flying Migos invade St. Johns this evening, in a vital Senior Montreal Basketball League game against the Dawson College entry, slated to get underway at 8:30 in the Orlick Gym. Both teams need to pull out a victory in order to remain in the championship running, with one squad slated for disappointment when the battle smoke clears. In the only other league encounter, the resurging Budds hope to pull one out of the hat at the Sir Arthur Currie Gym, when they meet the league-leading YMHA.

The visiting Migos have yet to taste defeat in loop competition this year, being tied with the YMHA for MBL leadership, and head into St. Johns with the intent of adding another scalp to their war belt. Backing coach Chuck Malis are such veteran basketball performers as Mendy Morein, Pete Finlay, Syd Strulovitch, Ottawa Norm Segalowitz, and "Red" Wilson. It is also possible that ex-Alouettes Pete King and Mart Antony will also be found on the roster. Yellow-jacketed Migos present a formidable array of top-notch basketball talent, which will provide stiff opposition in any case.

Coach Charlie Goldbloom, on the other hand, has his sights on this game, and has revamped his line-up, with the addition of two more men. Officials are reluctant to mention the names of these two new members, but state that a big surprise is forthcoming for team followers. As Goldie's squad now stands, his starting attacking line will feature sharp-shooting Kenny Taylor, Johnny Geary, and Bob Forand, with "Pop" Keele alternating on this trio. Vern Taylor has been shifted back to a guard post, where he will perform with floor general Goldbloom.

#### INTERMEDIATES PLAY

Gunning full steam for a top position in the league, Dawson's Intermediate M.B.L. entry looked pretty good last evening as they were put through their paces by Coach Jim Holmes.

Looking especially good was the first line with the centre position finally filled. Remarks in yesterday's issue turned out to be slightly premature as last minute reports show Ellie Godel experienced young cager as the man to take over the coveted position between 'Tig' Chaloner and Frank Ramsay. With Brian Laing and Israel Zunder rounding it off, the front line looks like a unit that can take care of itself in any company—even against the highly-rated Aggie team. Filling out the squad, three forwards and two more guards will be carried.

Andre Bedard, top scorer of the team with twenty points in the two games played so far, will be ready to dive in there as centre at any time.

Other forwards will be Hugh Turner, recently playing football with Wally Markham, and Collin McKinnon. With Bob Keeler and Larry Brown, changed for this game from centre to guard, playing behind the ten second line, Holmes can be sure that his team will put in a fighting bid for that top spot.

### Knock-a-bye-baby

## Five McGill Boxers To Fight In Saturday's Athletics Night

By LARRY SIROTA  
(Daily Staff Writer)

The McGill boxing team will make its bow before a home audience as part of the Athletics Night festivities this Saturday night when they come to blows with the best the city clubs have to offer in the B.W.F. room commencing at 8:15 p.m. The Redmen are considerably stronger and more experienced than last year and have shown marked improvement under the expert coaching of Irving Phillips.

#### FIVE BOUTS

Five McGillians will be climbing through the ropes against the most imposing array of pugilists a Red and White team has ever met before McGill fandom. Off this showing Phillips will be able to estimate the potentialities of their team come intercollegiate competition next spring. Many important local boxing figures have been invited to look in on the proceedings as the Redmen are reputed to possess one of the best clubs in the city and outsiders are anxious to size them up since their proteges will be facing the Red gladiators in the spring tourneys.

The main bout of the evening will be a return go between well-known McGillers and Marcell Vezina, the boy who gained a T.K.O. decision last week after Orr had suffered internal pain as a result of a recurrent appendix injury. Milite, who has been training hard all week, will be going all out to put Vezina away in short order, something he almost accomplished in their last meeting.

In the supporting matches, Bill Adams will face Norm Jones, Sid

Dakin will battle Joe McNab; Johnny Piper and John Heney are also slated to see action, but their opponents have not been named as yet.

#### SLUGGERS DO

An old fashioned slugging bee is in the offing in the Adams-Jones bout as the 165 pounders pack



Photo by Kostner, McGill Daily.  
Milton Orr

plenty of steam in their wallops and both learned their boxing in the army where they experienced a number of tune-ups. Jones in the 70th Battery.

McGill's sole winner in the Y.M.H.A. show, Sid Dakin will try to prove to all and sundry that his artistic display last week was only a beginning. This was Sid's first taste of action in a long while and now that he is keyed up for bigger and better things, he aims to give McNab a thorough going over with that talented left and pulverizing

Continued on Page 4.

## Dawson Rally Follow Hoop Double-header

With the time drawing closer by the hour, Dawson students are anxiously awaiting 7:30 p.m. to witness the second Athletics Festival of the season. Along with the festival is the closing rally for the Rink-Auditorium followed by a dance. A charge of 25 cents has been set per person (girls free) to cover expenses.

#### BIG DO

On the card for the evening is the Dawson-Macdonald Intermediate M.B.L. basketball clash as well as the long-awaited senior bout with Migos. Plans for the rally are large and extensive. Em Orlick must have gone to the limit in bringing to Dawson, Johnny Holmes and boys. These fellows, who really know how it's done, will put on a floor show immediately following the senior game.

As in the festival two weeks ago, a dance will be held to close off the evening. The ever-reliable Dawson Sound Service under Pete Tyler (which also does the announcing during the games) will be on hand to supply music for continuous dancing from 10:30-12:30.

## Artsmen 3 & 4 And Eng. 2A. Win in Softball

With a beautiful combination of pitcher Roy McKissock and catcher Herb Lewis, Arts 3 and 4 squashed Med 1, 10 to 8 in the first softball elimination robin held at the gym. Last night. The Artsmen now play Phys. Ed. 2 in the first of the semi-finals. In the second diamond show, Eng. 2A took over the Sect. I leadership by clipping Law 11-7.

The first game was played under such emotional strain, that the doctors could have given any spectator hypertension. At the end of the 3rd inning, Arts and Science were leading 5-3, and they came up to bat for the last time in the 4th. Denovan, Courty, Lewis, Westbrook, Sirota, Cilman all hit and brought in five runs. Then the surgeons appeared in their last bats, McKissock walked, Scott, Jackson and Cherry, while Knight, Sabin and Heller hit, this brought in 5 runs, with two men out.

Things got hotter, only 2 runs to tie, but Scott, coming to bat for the second time in the inning, struck out to lower the temperature of the atmosphere, and the game ended, 10-8. No games this Thursday.

Tues.: 5:15 p.m. Phys. Ed. 3 vs. Eng. 4; 6:00 p.m. Phys. Ed. 2 vs. Arts Science 2 and 4. (Solomon.)

### Gelineau Says

Much Talent Undeveloped  
Future Puck Stars Lost Due to Lack Of Auditorium

The Rink-Auditorium Campaign should receive the full support of the student body as well as all others interested in McGill, not only for the good of the senior hockey team, but for hockey in general. There is nothing that helps school spirit more than having as many as possible participating in the greatest of all games.

#### CONDITIONS PERFECT

There are many ex-servicemen who were very promising players when they enlisted, but who have not been able to regain their skating legs due to lack of facilities. We have one of the best coaches in Canada, but he is unable to get a proper look at all the available hockey talent under present conditions. With a rink of our own he could form several teams, and thereby give these boys every chance to develop, and perhaps unearth stars he would not otherwise find.

Hockey is not only a fine game from a spectator's point of view, but it is also a great developer of young men. A player must have speed, skill, stamina and a quick thinking brain to succeed. From the average student's point of view, hockey is an ideal relaxation from the grind of studying, and an intramural hockey game will usually provide more laughs than a Bob Hope show.

#### BACK DRIVE

Let's all get behind this drive and show that we, in the metropolis of Canada, can have a complete athletic set-up worthy of Old McGill.

#### FOUND

On Monday afternoon, on the main driveway of the Campus, a paper bag containing a black rayon half-slip with elastic waist and lace edge. Loser apply to the Janitor of the Arts Building.

#### INTERFAULTY BASKETBALL

Wednesday, Dec. 4th, 5:15—Dentles vs. Eng. 2C; 6:00—Eng. 2B vs. Med. 1.  
Thursday, Dec. 5th, 5:15—Eng. 3A vs. Com. 2A; 6:00—Med. 3 vs. Arts 4; 5:15—Eng. 4 vs. Sci. 4; 6:00—Eng. 3B vs. Sci. 3; 5:15—Med. 2 vs. Dentles; 6:00—Phys. Ed. 2 vs. Sci. 2.  
Any team that cannot play as scheduled, must notify Hay Finlay, Athletics Office, or Lou Lanier, L.A. 5265, twenty-four (24) hours before scheduled time.

## Prep For Clarkson Tilt; Intermediates Play Carabins Tonite

At approximately quarter of eight this evening about twenty-five young men will trot out on to the main floor of the Sir Arthur Currie Gym. Of this number, fifteen will be sporting the Red and White livery of our favourite Alma Mammy. The remainder will be decked out in the Maroon and Gold of Sir George Williams' College.

The Senior Basketball Redmen will, as is their custom, use the East end basket for their warm-up session. George Davidson, Con Fitzgerald, Sammy Roth, Ken Hoyle and the other eleven members of the Squad will take turns shooting at the Hoop and passing the leather spheroid.

#### GEORGIAN TEAM

At the opposite end of the Gym the Georgians will be going through the same performance. One after the other Magnus Flynn, Glen Wood, Mickey McFall and the rest will practice layups and then move back in a wide semi-circle around the basket and try their long shots.

When the hands on the clock indicate that the hour of eight has arrived, two gentlemen in white shirts with vertical black stripes and wearing grey trousers will make their appearance. These worthies will clear the floor of all but ten men, five from each team, and with a blast of the whistle the game will commence.

This contest is the curtain raiser of the weekly M.B.L. Twin Bill. The second game will see Budds and the highly rated Y.M.H.A. Quintet tangle in an important tussle.

#### INTERMEDIATES PLAY

While their big brothers are giving their all on the large floor the Intermediate Cagers will be meeting up with the tough U. of M. Club behind the folding partition. The second stringers with a win and loss on their record book need a victory to stay in the thick of the running. The Carabins on the other hand are so far unbeaten and are the Hot Favourites to cop the pennant.

Coach Ronnie Rutherford will be relying on the same men as have been with the Squad until now. The expected reinforcements from the Seniors have not been forthcoming as Lew Davies has decided to carry all fifteen men until the intercollegiate schedule starts.

#### COED BASKETBALL

Wednesday:  
5:00: Section E vs. Section H.  
5:30: Section A vs. Section B.

#### Friday:

4:00: Section B vs. Section D.  
4:40: Section A vs. Section G.  
5:20: Section C vs. Section D.

### DAWSON ONCE. By Bob Usher

Getting frigid, isn't it? With the below zero weather sweeping down the Dawson corridors, many flying boots and greatcoats are appearing on vets who may or may not have been the ones who reported same missing in action not so long ago.

#### HOCKEY INFO.

Taking advantage of the lowering of the mercury is Red Somers who stated plans for the freezing of the H20 on the rink today. That means that if Red and compatriot, Phil Henry, hockey coach, wake up before afternoon today, the skaters will be on the ice before the week end. If not, the skaters will be kept on ice even longer.

Kidding aside though, Dawson will be icing a pretty good team this winter. Many of the old boys are back from last year and the host of prospects as yet untried is uncountable. Among last season's stalwarts are Goaler "Chubby" Kent, Jim Knubley, blond forward, and defenceman Gordy McCarrell. All-star coach, Phil Henry, who is an old Port Arthur Bearcat will turn out again this year at his natural position, Right wing. Last season playing centre, coach Phil scored seven goals and assisted in eight more to become the team's second highest scorer. League leader in points, Red Somers will not be seen on Dawson ice this year.

#### NOTICE

Will the person who took a BROWN WINTER OVERCOAT and a BROWN "MORGAN" FEDORA by mistake from the hallway outside Room 250 of the Biology Building between the hours of 10 a.m. and 11 a.m. on Tuesday morning, please contact W. L. Van Vleet, MA. 4458.

### It's No Tea Party

## Red and White Squash Quintet In Boston Intercollegiate Meet

On Saturday the five men McGill squash team are playing in Boston against Harvard on their courts and then moving over to the Massachusetts Institute of Technology's alumni pool building where they will tackle the Amherst, Williams and MIT squads. This will see the inauguration of international intercollegiate squash matches and should the McGill team return victorious from these four matches there would be many an eyebrow raised in surprise on the south side of the border. It is difficult to assess McGill's chances of coming home with the bacon as there is nothing with which to make comparisons.

Harvard should prove the toughest nut to crack as they have been famous over two decades for the strength of their teams which were coached first by Harry Cowles and now by Bob Barnaby. The ninety squash courts at Harvard stagger the imagination and the resultant number of players should make it easy for a coach to pick a strong squad.

Along the riverbank from Harvard, at MIT, coach Jack Summers has lost his number one and two players through graduation but can be counted on to put out a team which will be fast and young. Coach Frank Gillespie's Amherst

**DRESS SUITS**  
AND  
**TUXEDOS**  
WITH ACCESSORIES  
FOR  
**RENT**  
**M. A. BRODEUR**  
28 Notre Dame East  
Lanc. 2776  
Established Since 1890

**Time out for Coke**

**COCA-COLA LTD. MONTREAL**

Coke = Coca-Cola  
"Coca-Cola" and its abbreviation "Coke" are the registered trade marks which distinguish the product of Coca-Cola Ltd.

**Mappin's brings you exclusively**

**WEDGWOOD EARTHENWARE**

**WITH THE MCGILL CREST**

Here is a possession that will always commemorate your Alma Mater. Four useful items in famous English Wedgwood Earthenware with baked-on McGill Crest in colour. Made exclusively for Mappin's. Ideal for gifts, presentations, for yourself or for your fraternity house. Drop in and see it in our China Department.

Mug	2.65	Ash Tray	1.35
Plate	1.50	Cigarette Box	2.65

**MAPPIN'S**  
JEWELLERS  
St. Catherine at Metcalfe

Whenever the occasion arises for a fine gift or personal purchase, McGill students are always welcome at Mappin's. The variety and selection of jewellery, china, silverware, fine leather and gifts assure you an excellent choice. Remember, Mappin's quality costs no more.

**"EXPORT"**  
CANADA'S FINEST  
CIGARETTE



### Larry's last lindy

Larry's wilted collar and billowy shirt are heading him straight for the stag line—permanently. You are looking at his first and last partner.

Take a tip from Gertrude! Be a smooth dresser as well as a smooth dancer! Wear an Arrow, the shirt with the non-wilting collar.

Get your Arrows at your local Arrow dealer. If he doesn't have your favorite today, try him again later.

**ARROW SHIRTS and TIES**  
UNDERWEAR • HANDKERCHIEFS • SPORTS SHIRTS



## Vet Soc. List Home Seekers

Lists are being prepared of all students, both single and married, who are in need of houses, so that if opportunities arise in the immediate future to procure either coop or individual housing, action can be taken without delay.

All who are sincerely interested are requested to write to Mitch Bourke, Housing Director, McGill Student Veterans' Society, 690 Sherbrooke St. West, and give the following information: name, address, telephone number, faculty and year.

Recently, an opportunity to obtain a house was investigated and negotiations opened with the owner. Owing to insufficient publicity at the time, due to unfortunate circumstances, sufficient names were not received in time, and it is hoped that if students register in advance this situation can be avoided in the future.

## LETTER FORUM

outmoded regulations of our college.

I call for a definite statement from some responsible authority on the question of girl cheerleaders. I most certainly hope that McGill will not have to suffer through another year having the dubious distinction of being the only co-educational college without cheerleaders.

Talk about student apathy and lack of interest in college affairs: We certainly must have inherited it from the policy-makers of this university.

Let's have the facts and the reasons behind our deficiency in the cheer-leading department. Let's fight this out in the open, not in secret meetings and behind closed doors. And when and if we are informed on the situation, let's start doing something about it right away.

COME ON MCGILL CATCH UP WITH THE WORLD.

Yours indifferently,  
WALTER COTTINGHAM,  
Com. II.

## Music Notes—p. 2

LES AMIS DE L'ART

Events for members:

Dec. 4: His Majesty's Theatre, 'Ariadne', opera by Richard Strauss. Presented by the Montreal Festival. Tickets: \$1.50.

Dec. 15: at Forum, at 2.30 p.m., Ice Capades of 1947. Tickets: 50c.

Free Tickets: concerts, lectures, apply at the Secretariat.

Dec. 12: Plateau Hall, Arthur LeBlanc, violinist. — Special Notice: at Ladies Morning Musical Club only young men need apply for these tickets.

## Rink—p. 1

a canvasser has lined up a long list of appointments. Further sharp gains in coverage reported, are anticipated for this afternoon and tomorrow. By Friday," concluded the Campaign Chairman, "everyone should have had a fair opportunity of getting his or her list completed, as well as having done a fair amount of free-lance canvassing."

Johnny Wight, organization chairman, chimed in at this point. "That's right, Friday should be a heavy day. The cashiers, accountants, and statisticians will be on the job in the Registrar's Office steadily from one o'clock until six. Come on, all you canvassers, dig in hard and let's get our objective cleaned up before Friday afternoon."

From Dawson no definite report has yet come in to Headquarters. Chairman Rod Gudgeon reports considerable activity and promises McGill a real mark to shoot at insofar as total coverage is concerned.

## New Year's Eve—p. 1

entire Union has been secured for the evening, and will be utilised to the full. Dancing, to the music of the Westernaires, will be in the Ballroom, and will also be available on the second floor. Drinks (soft) will be on sale downstairs in the Grill Room. He emphasized that secluded corners will be left secluded, and that there will be an abundance of mistletoe in strategic locations.

Decorations are under the management of Brian MacDonald who promises something special in that line; Gus Summerskill has agreed to act as Master of Ceremonies, and entertainment is being arranged by Harvie Walford. Negotiations are under way with local caterers to provide a late supper for those who may be hungry.

Tickets are now available for this event, and in view of the fact that they are extremely limited in number arrangements have been made whereby Arts and Science students will have first call for them. At Dawson, Dickson Armitage and Carlyle Johnson, presidents of first and second years of Arts and Science, will handle ticket sales; at McGill, Len Beaton has taken on

## DATES COMMITTEE

### ATHLETICS NIGHT DEC. 7

The Dates Committee of the Students' Council wishes to bring to attention the two following main regulations of the committee, concerning the regulation of social events on this campus.

a) All applications for social functions, to be held by a campus organization which is sponsored by the SEC, must be submitted to the Dates Committee on the forms provided in the Secretary's Office of the McGill Union.

b) It is the responsibility of the organization sponsoring the event to make all their arrangements for the use of the facilities desired, but that these ARRANGEMENTS CANNOT BE MADE UNTIL APPROVAL IS OBTAINED FROM THE DATES COMMITTEE.

A complete copy of the rules and regulations may be obtained from Hedwig Brown in RVC, Peter Turcot, or David Townsend in the McGill Union. (These rules have been published in the Daily and adopted by the SEC).

Also, any club or society desiring to have a regular meeting place in the Union during the second term is advised to submit the room, time, and organization, to the Union House Committee as soon as possible so that they may draw up a schedule during the first term. This schedule will affect the club that have weekly or fortnightly meetings only.

The following dates have been approved by the Committee:

- Dec.
- 5—Student Veteran Society Meeting—Ballroom 5.00 p.m.
- 6—Junior Prom—Gymnasium—10.00 p.m.
- Non-Prom—Union Ballroom—9.00 p.m.
- 7—Athletics Festival—Gymnasium—8.00 p.m.
- 9—Players' Club One-Act Play—Ballroom—5.00 p.m.
- 10—Film Society—Biological Building—5.00 p.m.
- Phi Epsilon Alpha Banquet—Grill Room—6.00 p.m.
- 11—Model Parliament—Union Ballroom—8.00 p.m.
- Commerce Undergraduate Banquet—Grill Room—6.00 p.m.
- 12—Middlebury Debate—Union Ballroom—8.00 p.m.
- 13—Med. II Class Party—Medical Building.
- Dental Undergrad Annual Dance—(Closed)—Ballroom—8.30.
- 14—Graduate Students Association Closed Dance—Ballroom—8.00.
- RVC Open Christmas Dance—RVC—8.00 p.m.
- CAUC Closed Dance—COTC Mess—8.00 p.m.
- 16—CCF Club Meeting and Speaker—Ballroom—8.00 p.m.
- 17—Football Banquet—Union Grill Room—7.00 p.m.
- 18—McGill Daily Annual Christmas Banquet—Grill Room—7.00 p.m.
- 19—Choral Society Christmas Concert—Gymnasium—8.00 p.m.
- 20—Newman Club Christmas Formal
- Yale—McGill Hockey Game—Forum—8.00 p.m.
- Red and White Society Open Dance—Gymnasium—10.00 p.m.
- 31—Arts and Science New Year's Eve Dance—Ballroom—10.00 p.m. Jan.
- 14—Arts and Science Sleigh Drive—7.30.
- 15—Red and White Revue Dance—Ballroom—8.00 p.m.
- 17—Vermont—McGill Basketball Game—Gymnasium—8.00 p.m.
- Queens—McGill Hockey Game—Forum—8.00 p.m.
- 21—Phi Epsilon Alpha Banquet—Cafeteria—6.30 p.m.
- 22—Model Parliament—Ballroom—8.00 p.m.
- 31—MOC Park Slide—Mountain—8.30 p.m.
- Student Subscription Concert—RVC—8.30 p.m. Feb.
- 1—Toronto—McGill Basketball Game.
- 4—Co-ed Coast—Mountain—8.30 p.m.
- 5—Red and White Revue—Moysse Hall—8.30 p.m.
- 5—Phi Epsilon Alpha Banquet—Cafeteria—6.30 p.m.
- 7—Plumbers' Ball—Gymnasium—10.00 p.m.
- 12—Model Parliament—Union Ballroom—8.00 p.m.
- 13—Commerce Undergrad Dinner—Cafeteria—6.30 p.m.
- 14—ACS Formal—Gymnasium—10.00 p.m.
- 18—Phi Epsilon Alpha Banquet—Grill Room—6.30 p.m.

sales in second year, Paul Belts, Jack Busby, and Dick Tremaine in third year, and David Common and Merrill Stalker in fourth year. Any other students may obtain tickets from the executive of the Arts and Science Undergraduate Society.

The committee in charge, headed by Dick Denman and Al Mackey, advise all students to get their tickets early, so that they will not be disappointed later on. Dress for the occasion will be optional.

## Stickhandlers—p. 3

for the next few weeks.

Coach Campbell is still not sure who he will be using as the seventh forward. The trio still contending for the position, are Johnny Brough, Jack "Pop" Miller, and Andy Anderson. Any one of these three will more than adequately fill the bill.

Young Jimmy Atkinson has not as yet returned to the ice lanes, and is still nursing his injured optic. His eye received only superficial damage and is expected to be completely healed within a short time. When this occurs, James will probably line up with the intermediates.

## Better Snacks—p. 1

a list of table numbers and the people who have signed for the respective tables. There will be ushers present who will direct the people to their tables.

This year the Prom Committee has improved the "midnight snacks" of other years to such an extent that virtually a complete dinner has been arranged. Chicken salad will top the bill of fare.

Despite earlier difficulties, the Prom Committee is glad to announce that permission for members of the armed services to wear their dress uniforms to the Prom has been obtained. The only proviso is that members of the Navy wear high collars.

Featured at the Prom this year are the Montreal "Escorts," one of the leading local bands. This is part of the policy to give Montreal talent ample opportunity to show itself. The Escorts have and are appearing at many McGill affairs and need little introduction to the student body.

## Five—p. 3

right cross. McNab is another 79th Battery welter and reputed to be a toughie.

As for Piper and Heney, these lads have proven their fistic ability at Phillips and have been carefully trained and primed for battle. Both boys belong to the fancy dance school of boxing, believing in the old

adage of he who hits most often wins.

Refereeing the bouts will be Gordon Sauve, who has handled many first rate pro fights recently while the judges named are N. Newman, L. Dezwirek, J. Porteous and J. Ross. The timekeeper is H. Green.

## E. A. Ryan—from p. 1

cancelling lectures between 4 and 6 to enable all plumbers to attend the meeting. Last year the meetings did not start until 5.00 o'clock, but this year they will start earlier in an attempt to secure better attendance.

## Buses to Take Fans To Athletics Night

Buses to carry hockey fans from the Verdun Arena to the Athletics Night afterwards in the Sir Arthur Currie Gym are being chartered so that as many as possible can get to the dance. The Red and White Society is posting lists in all the main buildings so that all those wishing to make use of these arrangements might so signify by signing. It was pointed out that everyone who wishes to go to the dance from the Hockey Game must sign one of the lists, as accommodation will be made for them only. The deadline for names is Friday at one o'clock. No extra charge will be necessary, other than the regular Athletics Night ticket.

## Dawson Debaters Covet Bovey Shield

The annual competition for the Bovey Shield Trophy will begin tomorrow evening at Dawson College, in conjunction with a similar movement at McGill, it was announced today by St. Johns chairman Raymond Camus. The occasion for the beginning of this competition will be the weekly meeting of the Dawson Discussion and Debating Society, which will be held in Room 24 of Dawson Hall.

This will mark the first time that this famed trophy, which was donated by Colonel Wilfred Bovey, K.C., M.L.A. for impromptu debating for freshmen, has been held outside of Montreal. President Camus urges all interested students to turn out for this meeting tomorrow evening, and adds that judges for the eliminations will be announced shortly.

All members of Team No. 9 Red and White Society are urgently requested to attend a special meeting in the Union Ballroom at 1 p.m. Thursday to discuss plans for the forthcoming Hockey Dance on Dec. 20.

Never let your schooling interfere with your education.

## IT COULD BE SOUR GRAPES

Archie Etienne Will Provide Music For Non-Prom

Are you without a ticket to the Prom?

The maestro gave the downbeat, and suddenly, as if by magic, the ballroom was filled with soft, smooth lilting music. The gentle swish of gorgeous gowns intermingled with the quiet whispering of contented voices. The decorations were most unusual, and the couples were amazed at the ingenuity and resourcefulness of those responsible for this magnificent effect. Yes, this was THE dance of the social season.

The above is merely a preview of what awaits you this coming week-end. However, you might not want to participate in this festive event. Then you can stay at home, read the newspapers, listen to the radio—Jimmy Durante and Garry Moore have a pretty good show.

Of course you can listen to them next week if you wish. BUT, if you do want to listen and dance to distinctively styled music, if you do want to meet your friends and have a good time, if you do want to have an enjoyable evening at a minimum of expense, then read the next paragraph.

This Friday evening at 9 o'clock, Archie Etienne and his fourteen piece orchestra will commence playing for your enjoyment. You will enjoy his music because all arrangements are Etienne Originals.

Tickets for the Non-Prom are available in a limited number at the Union, the Arts and Engineering buildings at a mere \$1.50 per couple.

## Annual Issues Call For Club Photographs

Calling upon various campus clubs to make appointments for having their executive pictures taken, Joan Davis, in charge of annual club photographs, stresses that the deadline is set for December 16. Pictures are taken on Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday at 5 p.m. in the Union Lounge. Joan Davis may be contacted at MA 9176, and clubs are urged to arrange for the most suitable day as soon as possible. Following is a list of the clubs from whom executive photographs are required:

Book Exchange, B.W.I., Camsl, C.I.C., Club Hispanico, Cosmopolitan, Electrical, Graduate Student's Society, Inter-University Club, Junior Prom, McGill Medical Journal, Mining and Metallurgy Society, Music Programme Committee, Osler Society, Political Economy Club, Political Science Club, Pre-Med Society, Red and White Revue, Scarlet Key Society, S.C.M., Sociological Society, Women's Debating Society, Women's Science Club, C.C.F., L.P.P., Liberal Club, Commerce Undergraduate Society, Engineering Undergraduate Society, M.S.P.E. Undergraduate Society, Law Undergraduate Society, Theology Undergraduate Society, Music Undergraduate Society, Physiotherapy Undergraduate Society.

Now there seem to be several reasons why co-eds come to university.

Because they finish high school — A very important reason.

Because they win scholarships — Well, brains are handy too.

Because their rich fathers decide to let them have a little degree to flaunt in their friends' faces — Aren't women cats—Bring the saucer of milk.

Because they are looking for suckers to trick into marriage — Where else can you catch fish with such poor bait?

Some of the girls claimed that they came to university to get educated. Oh brother, obviously a frustration complex. You'd think these women knew everything there was to know to hear them talk, but apparently some of the professors know some more (no slur intended on professors).

In this article I deal only with women. Want to get dealt in?

Some classifications into which co-eds are divided can be related as is shown by the following profound summary:

Co-eds who get honours don't get asked out often.

Class beauties are mobbed by men for dates.

Co-eds who are very athletic don't get asked out often.

Class beauties are mobbed by the men for dates.

Two weeks ago a freak was discovered. She was athletic, beautiful, and she made honors. Think of it, the perfect woman, one in a million. She will stay perfect for a long time because at the museum they have embalmed her so she won't decay. She is on display on the second floor—fourth case from the door.

Then there is the adolescent with a face you love to pinch. Blithering bawling, bloomin' beast.

Must you feast upon my yeast? Can't you dine on herbs and simples.

And leave the yeast for my poor pupils?

Oh yes, when I need a date, I still take out girls. What else can I take out?

Champlis Cat.

Engineer: "I like maths, when they aren't way over my head." Argo: "That's the way I feel about pigeons, too."

Nature couldn't make us perfect, so she did the next best thing—she made us blind to our faults.

## Cheerleaders Debate Topic Of RVC-Arts

"Resolved that McGill should have women cheerleaders" will be the topic of a debate between R.V.C. and Arts and Science in the Union Ballroom today at one o'clock. Representing R.V.C. and arguing in the negative will be Joy Ballon and Joan Koltz, while opposing them will be Jon Ballon and Jack Crepeau. The topic of the debate has caused considerable discussion, especially during the last two football seasons, and has been the impetus for numerous "Letters to the Editor." This, then, is a good opportunity for the authors of such letters to turn out and hear both sides of the argument.

Judges for the debate will be Heddle Brown, President of the Women's Union, Ed. Gauthier, President of the Engineering Debating Society, and Dave Common, Vice-President of the McGill Debating Society. Chairman for the debate will be Isadore Rosenfeld, President of the McGill Debating Society.

This debate, the last in the fall series of inter-faculty debates, will be the third for both groups. R.V.C. has so far dropped one decision to the Engineers and gained one at the expense of Commerce. Arts & Science also lost their first debate, against Medicine, but then went on to defeat Theology. Both groups will thus be attempting to climb into a first place tie, with Engineering and Medicine.

## Co-eds, What They Are And Why

Lipsick, powder and rouge? Yes. Skirts and sweaters? Yes. Loafers, moccasins and bare legs? Yes. Brains, intelligence and common sense? Pardon me, I have a lecture in thirty seconds.

Co-eds are funny. Maybe that's why men develop a sense of humor. Co-eds are gregarious animals. Maybe that's why they travel in herds. Co-eds can be classified according to build into four groups:

Thin—No comment.

Voluptuous—Hello there, Miss. Obese—Hiya tubby.

Miscellaneous—Why Charles Atlas, what are you doing in Toronto?

Co-eds can be classified, according to appearance, into several groups:

Plain—If you could only fly like one.

Beautiful—Hey, come to papa. Ugly—Lena, I thought you were in Dogpatch.

No Category—Care to shoot pool, Mac?

Now there seem to be several reasons why co-eds come to university.

Because they finish high school — A very important reason.

Because they win scholarships — Well, brains are handy too.

Because their rich fathers decide to let them have a little degree to flaunt in their friends' faces — Aren't women cats—Bring the saucer of milk.

Because they are looking for suckers to trick into marriage — Where else can you catch fish with such poor bait?

Some of the girls claimed that they came to university to get educated. Oh brother, obviously a frustration complex. You'd think these women knew everything there was to know to hear them talk, but apparently some of the professors know some more (no slur intended on professors).

In this article I deal only with women. Want to get dealt in?

Some classifications into which co-eds are divided can be related as is shown by the following profound summary:

Co-eds who get honours don't get asked out often.

Class beauties are mobbed by men for dates.

Co-eds who are very athletic don't get asked out often.

Class beauties are mobbed by the men for dates.

Two weeks ago a freak was discovered. She was athletic, beautiful, and she made honors. Think of it, the perfect woman, one in a million. She will stay perfect for a long time because at the museum they have embalmed her so she won't decay. She is on display on the second floor—fourth case from the door.

Then there is the adolescent with a face you love to pinch. Blithering bawling, bloomin' beast.

Must you feast upon my yeast? Can't you dine on herbs and simples.

And leave the yeast for my poor pupils?

Oh yes, when I need a date, I still take out girls. What else can I take out?

Champlis Cat.

Engineer: "I like maths, when they aren't way over my head." Argo: "That's the way I feel about pigeons, too."

Nature couldn't make us perfect, so she did the next best thing—she made us blind to our faults.

## Club News

### NEWMAN CLUB.

The members are reminded that the membership drive is coming to an end. The annual dues of \$1.00 may be paid to the keymen of the various faculties. These dues are claimed not for any financial profit, but for the maintenance of the club. The Newman Club meets every second Sunday, all through the year. It has a threefold aim: The spiritual, intellectual and social care of all Catholics on the campus.

There was a mistake made last week in the announcement of the Newman Ball. The time is from 8.30 to 1.00 a.m., and not as previously stated.

### CARIBBEAN BROADCAST COMMITTEE

The International Service of the Canadian Broadcasting Corporation in conjunction with the Canadian West Indian League is planning a program of Christmas messages. These programs will be air-mailed to local stations in Trinidad, Jamaica, British Guiana, and Barbados for broadcast on Christmas day. All students from these islands who are interested in participating in the program, are cordially invited to meet tomorrow, Thursday, at noon, the place to be announced in Thursday's Daily.

Due to the shortness of time and the crowded mails, it is important that we get together not later than this Thursday as the planning and recording of the program will take at least another week. So if you would like to say "Merry Christmas" to the folks at home and you hall from Trinidad, Jamaica, Barbados, or British Guiana, be sure to turn up on Thursday or call Miss Til Jackson of CBC, PL 2701, or Roland Richmond, LA. 0819.

### DAWSON HOBBY CLUB

The Dawson Hobby Club is to hold its first meeting tomorrow night, December 5, in Room 25 of Dawson Hall, with the agenda scheduled to get under way at 7.00 p.m. An executive will be formed, and a constitution selected, organizing officials state. An invitation has also been extended to all interested students, who are reminded that it is possible to enroll in the group tomorrow evening and thus get into the long list of activities planned for the coming year.

### DAWSON MUSIC APPRECIATION CLUB

Seventy-five members were present at this week's Dawson Music Appreciation Club gathering, which featured the works of Frescobaldi, Schubert, Wagner and Beethoven, with Mr. George Falle of the English department acting as commentator.

The program opened with Frescobaldi's "Toccata". Mr. Falle, who, besides having a thorough general knowledge of music, is an expert pianist, commented on the unexpected degree of seriousness to be found in such an early piece. The next work played was Schubert's Fifth Symphony. Here, as explained by the commentator, Franz Schubert was to be found at his most lyrical and melodious. The first half of the program ended with an early Wagnerian work, "The Overture of the Flying Dutchman", which shows strong traces of Beethoven influence.

After the intermission, the main and final work of the evening, Beethoven's Fifth piano Concerto, the "Emperor", was played. Unfortunately, a rather below-standard performance by Walther Gieseking and Bruno Walter was further marred by a very poor technical recording.

Next week's program is tentatively set as: Handel's "Water Music", excerpts from Bizet's "Carmen", and Brahms Fourth Symphony.

Lionel Albert,

### INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS CLUB

A meeting of the Executive will be held on Thursday at 1 p.m. in the Union.

### MCGILL LIBERAL CLUB.

The discussion group program is beginning this week and ALL who would like to take part are most welcome. The purpose is to bring students together to discuss important Canadian topics under the direction of senior students or graduate students.

Meetings will take place fortnightly in the home of one of the members starting this week. Some of the topics are Capital-Labour Relations led by Frank Bell, a graduate student in the subject; Government of Canada, John Chipman, honor student in economics; Liberal Philosophy, Jim Paterson; honor student in economics, etc.

Everyone who would be interested get in touch with a member or come to the weekly meeting on Monday.

### I.V.C.F. LUNCHEON

Keith Yonge, a 3rd year medical student, will be the speaker at luncheon on Thursday, December 5, at 1 p.m. There is a list at Student House which those wanting to come should sign. If the list is full, bring your own lunch or come at 1.30 when Keith will speak.

### POLITICAL SCIENCE CLUB

The regular open meeting of the club will be held today at 1 p.m. in the union music room with Sandy Mills as guest speaker.

Mr. Mills is a graduate student in History and is leader of the McGill Liberal Club study group on immigration. The topic of the talk will be "IMMIGRATION," a subject on which Mr. Mills is an authority and which should provide quite a field for discussion.

Lunches may be eaten during the discussion and all students will be welcome.

### C.C.F. CLUB

ROGIER PREVOST B.A., Quebec Prov. Sec'y, C.C.F. Party will speak to the CCF CLUB and all students interested at the regular weekly meeting on Thursday at 1 p.m. in the Union Music room. Mr. Prevost is a dynamic speaker and has chosen the topic "WHY THE CCF DIFFERS FROM ANY OTHER PARTY ORGANIZATION." The topic will be of interest to all members of political clubs and should be of especial interest to CCF sympathizers on the campus.

### DAWSON C.C.F. CLUB

The initial meeting of the Dawson C.C.F. Club will be held tonight, Tuesday, at 8.00 p.m. in Room 21, Dawson Hall. The agenda will include a discussion on "The Function of Political Clubs on the Campus"; plans for future activities; and the election of an executive. All those interested are welcome.

### HILLEL FOUNDATION

A meeting of the Hillel Zionist Group will take place on Wednesday, December 4, at 8.30 sharp. The guest speaker of the evening will be Mr. Meier Oelzer, who will talk on "Zionism, a Historical Survey." An open discussion will follow the talk, and singing and dancing will complete the meeting.

### COSMOPOLITAN CLUB.

There will be a luncheon meeting today, when all the better type of members of the Cosmopolitan Club will meet in the small lecture room of the Redpath Museum at 1 p.m. to hear Professor Spence-Sales discuss New Zealand.

Before the speaker is introduced the members will hear a brief report on yesterday's executive meeting, will be presented with a questionnaire to fill out and will be called upon to elect an assistant publicity manager who can put the Cosmopolitan Club Publicity Programme on top of the world again, where it properly belongs.

Interested non-members are also invited to this meeting, but are requested to make their own arrangements about their food